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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.

T8465046US1

First Inventor or Application

COTTON, Bill

Title

SEALING MEANS FOR ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN...THEREOF

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application

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1. ☒ *Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

2. ☒ Specification [Total **27**]

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)

- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
- b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total **10**]

4. Oath or Declaration [Total ☐

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))

[Note Box 5 below]

- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
inventor(s) named in the prior application.

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- 8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
- 9. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- 10. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- 11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- 12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
- 13. ☐ * Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application,
- 14. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
- 15. ☐ Other: Declaration un-executed

* A new statement is required to be entitled to pay small entity fees, except

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application **09/327,598**

Prior application information: Examiner **T. Parsons**

Group / Art Unit **1741**

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

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Complete if Known

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Examiner Name	T. Parsons
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

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☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

	Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
101 710	201 355		Utility filing fee	710
106 320	206 160		Design filing fee	
107 490	207 245		Plant filing fee	
108 710	208 355		Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75		Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 710.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20** =	X	
Independent Claims	- 3** =	X	
Multiple Dependent			

	Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
103 18	203 9		Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40		Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	209 40		** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

	Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
105 130	205 65		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130		Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55		Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216 195		Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217 445		Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218 695		Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228 945		Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219 155		Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135		Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55		Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	241 620		Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	242 620		Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243 220		Design issue fee	
144 600	244 300		Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130		Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50		Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126 180	126 180		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581 40		Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146 710	246 355		Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 710	249 355		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 710	279 355		Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900		Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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